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Sir:

This subject Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in connection with applicants' continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

Remarks

The listed references are discussed on page 1 of the specification and in the attached International Search Report.

GB 1,329,815 is the English equivalent of DE-A 20 08 675, which is discussed on page1 of the instant specification.

FR 950 894 is not available in English, however a concise explanation of the relevance of the reference is discussed on page 1 of the instant specification.

The Hauxue Shijie reference is not available in English, however a concise explanation of the relevance of the reference is discussed on page 1 of the instant specification.

620,298, which is discussed on page 1 of the specification, is the equivalent of U.S. Serial No. 09/620,298. No copy of a U.S. patent application need be included (37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(iii)).

U.S. 5,44, 170 is the English equivalent of DE-A 155 00 679, which was brought to applicants attention by the attached International Search Report.

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